



Liberty High School Band Department

COMMITMENT LETTERS – FALL 2023

PARENT COMMITMENT LETTER:

My child, _____ plans to be in the Liberty Marching Band and Colorguard program this school year, 2023-2024.

- I understand my child needs to attend the full band camp which is tentatively scheduled for 9 a.m. - 8 p.m., Aug. 14-26.
- I understand my child is part of a team and thus needs to be at all performances of the Liberty Marching Band and Colorguard program including football games and weekend competitions. I understand excused absences must be communicated at least two weeks in advance by a written note/email to Mr. Soon.
- I understand my child will stay at all competitions through the end of day and will be dismissed as a group by Mr. Soon.
- I understand that I need to pay the required Liberty Band Booster participation fees by the end of the season (Fall: Nov. 15, Winter: Apr. 15) for the Band Boosters to pay staff, required competition entry fees, and provide food, uniforms, props and equipment for my student.
- I understand that discounted fees are available if I commit to completing 32 adult volunteer hours per season that my child participates in (fall and/or winter). For families committing to the volunteering discount, any shortfall from the required 32 hours per season will be billed at rate of \$20/hour against my student's account.
- I understand that Liberty Band Booster relies on general fund fundraising events such as, Liberty Marching Arts Challenge and Liberty Winter Classic. I understand that my participation in general fundraiser events is required including a minimum of one shift(s) at a general fund fundraiser event per year.
- I understand my child will be required to contribute to the program by participating in general fund fundraisers including five can drives and one shift at any other general fund fundraiser.

Printed Parent Name: _____

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ **Date:** _____

STUDENT COMMITMENT LETTER:

I, _____ plan to be in the Liberty Marching Band and Colorguard program this school year.

- I will attend all rehearsals and always put forth my best efforts.
- I will, always, act appropriately, follow directions and show respect to staff, parents, competitors, and other members of the Liberty Marching Band and Colorguard.
- I will be at all performances of the Liberty Marching Band and Colorguard program.
- Excused absences must be communicated at least two weeks in advance and the time missed made up by doing extra credit work. I understand that absences must be excused by a written note from parents and that if I don't make up the work, it will be considered an unexcused absence.
- I understand that my participation in general fundraisers is required including a minimum of five can drives (eight to be eligible for the year-end rewards) and one shift at any other general fund fundraiser events.
- I understand that I am responsible for my own equipment, including instruments. Liberty High School is not liable for any damage to my instrument. If I am using a Liberty HS-owned instrument, I am responsible for repairs to that instrument beyond normal wear-and-tear and agree to return the instrument in working condition.
- I understand that my participation is contingent on my meeting minimum academic standards and be in good financial standing with the Liberty Band Boosters.

Printed Student Name: _____

Student Signature: _____ **Date:** _____